

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph immediately following the title with the following rewritten paragraph:

This application is a divisional application of U.S. application Ser. No. 09/299,689, filed April 26, 1999, and issued on April 30, 2002 as U.S. Patent No. 6,379,913, entitled HUMAN SERINE CARBOXYPEPTIDASE, which is a divisional application of U.S. application Ser. No. 08/828,488, filed March 31, 1997, and issued on July 20, 1999 as U.S. Patent No. 5,925,521, entitled HUMAN SERINE CARBOXYPEPTIDASE. Both of these applications are hereby expressly incorporated by reference herein.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 12, 30, 33, 35, and 56, without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please replace claims 11 and 34 with the following amended versions of the claims, and add new claims 62-66. For the Examiner's convenience, all pending claims are listed below.